

November 2015

National Park Service
U.S. Department of the Interior
New Orleans Jazz
National Historic Park



Visitor's Center
916 N. Peters Street
New Orleans, LA 70116
Tues.- Sat. 9am-5pm

Ranger Walks on the **Origins of Jazz** are conducted on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays at 11:00 am and on Saturdays at 11:30 am. (Sign up inside the Dutch Alley visitor center.)

Additional free tours are sponsored by the French Market, Inc. on Mondays and Wednesdays. Visit <http://www.frenchmarket.org/events/upcoming/> for details.

Find updated New Orleans Jazz National Historical Park schedules at: www.nps.gov/jazz/planyourvisit/events.htm.

Nov 3 Tuesday

12:00-1:00 pm

916 N. Peters St

Piano virtuoso **Richard Scott** performs an hour of traditional New Orleans jazz at our French Market location.

2:00-3:00 pm

Old U.S. Mint

Ranger Matt Hampsey leads the **Down on Their Luck Orchestra** in a program demonstrating musical elements that helped nurture New Orleans role as the birthplace of jazz. The DOTLO is rounded out by **Richard Scott** on piano, **Michael Harris** on bass guitar, **Hubie Vigreux** on percussion, and **Ranger Joe Stolarick** on drums. Today the DOTLO will be joined by special guest vocalist, **Tyrone Chambers**.

Nov 4 Wednesday

12:00-1:00 pm

916 N. Peters St

Reknowned jazz vocalist **Stephanie Jordan** leads **Jazz Pilates** set to the recorded music of major jazz composers like John Coltrane and Kidd Jordan. Jazz Pilates integrates traditional Pilates and dance movements with jazz music to improve the mind-body-spirit connection. Please bring your own fitness mat.

2:00-3:00 pm

Old U.S. Mint

Pianist **Meghan Swartz** performs at the Mint during our Wednesday **Jazz Piano Hour**.

Nov 5 Thursday

2:00-3:00 pm

Old U.S. Mint

Young Artist's of New Orleans Series featuring recent Loyola music composition graduate **Sam Kuslan** leading the **Sam Kuslan Trio**. The Trio includes **Geoff Klapp** and **Barry Stevenson**.

Nov 6 Friday

11:00 am - 12:00 pm

916 N. Peters St

Join one of our celebrity guest artists from our "Songs for Junior Rangers" CD, award winning children's musician and author **Johnette Downing**. Johnette will perform a concert and sing along especially suited for kids from Pre-school to 3rd grade.

12:00 - 12:45 pm

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Nov 6 *Friday*

1:00 - 1:45 pm

916 N. Peters St

Ripplesome Ukulele Workshop - Join visiting artist **Kathryn Para** for a free ukulele workshop that is perfect for kids and adults alike.

2:00-3:00 pm

Old U.S. Mint

The Louisiana State Museum presents **"Popular song form the '30's to Today / As You've Never Heard Them Before"** featuring **The Joe Cabral Thrio**, one of the most refreshing new groups on the New Orleans music scene. **Joe Cabral**, a multi-instrumentalist, composer and conceptual artist, fronts the Thrio on baritone saxophone and vocals. His partners, **Doug Garrison** on drums and **James Singleton** on bass, are so closely involved in Cabral's musical vision that the group's performances often seem like spontaneous compositions. **(\$5.00)**

Nov 7 *Saturday*

10:00-11:00 am

916 N. Peters St

Bring comfortable clothing and your own yoga mat to our French Market location for **Jazz Yoga**. This free yoga class will feature instructor **Susan Landry** and meditational jazz piano by **Peter Nu**.

12:00-1:00 pm

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Kids are invited to bring their own instruments and join members of the **Storyville Stompers Brass Band** for our **Music for All Ages** workshop. This program, started by Ranger Bruce Barnes, seeks to pass along brass traditions the New Orleans way.

2:00-3:00 pm

Old U.S. Mint

Join us at the Mint for a performance of **"New Orleans Festival de la Clarinet"** featuring the clarinetist **Evan Christopher**.

2:00-3:00 pm

916 N. Peters St

In honor of Veterans Day, the **New Orleans Marine Band Jazz Combo** will perform at our Dutch Alley visitor center.

Nov 10 *Tuesday*

12:00-1:00 pm

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Nov 11 *Wednesday*

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Pianist **Meghan Swartz** performs at the Mint during our Wednesday **Jazz Piano Hour**.

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7:00 pm

Old U.S. Mint

The Friends of the Cabildo present **Charmaine Neville**. As the daughter of one of the highly acclaimed Neville Brothers, Charmaine is heir to a rich New Orleans musical legacy but is busy putting her own stamp on this musical heritage. Neville and her band dish out a spicy mix of the best of New Orleans music, from the nastiest of blues to some V-8-driven R & B. Add a funky rhythm and some jazzy ballads, and you've got yourself one helluva Crescent City gumbo! The band is co-led by Charmaine and pianist **Amasa Miller**. To learn more or to purchase tickets by phone contact the Friends of the Cabildo office at (504) 523-3939. **(Tickets are \$25.00 or \$20.00 with Friends of the Cabildo membership.)**

Nov 14 *Saturday*

10:00-11:00 am

916 N. Peters St

Bring comfortable clothing and your own yoga mat to our French Market location for **Jazz Yoga**. This free yoga class will feature instructor **Susan Landry** and meditational jazz piano by **Peter Nu**.

11:30-12:30 pm

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PLAYBUILD NOLA will host monthly **"Build by Ear: Bridging Music and Architecture"** workshops indoors and out at our Dutch Ally visitor center once a month. All materials are provided by the Playbuild staff. Just come ready to listen and build! Each workshop will be tied to a specific New Orleans musician and architectural style.

12:30-2:00 pm

916 N. Peters St

Kids Swing and Sing with The Swing Setters (w/ Jayna Morgan)! Kids of all ages are invited to this interactive concert featuring Jayna Morgan. Guaranteed to have you snapping your fingers, tapping your toes, and have you dancing in the aisles while singing children's tunes with a jazz beat.

2:00-3:00 pm

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Old U.S. Mint

Join us at the Mint for a performance featuring the **Debbie Davis & the Mesmerizers**.

Nov 17 *Tuesday*

12:00-1:00 pm

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Fred Kasten continues his live interview series **"Talkin Jazz"** with New Orleans bassist **Roland Guerin**.

Nov 19 *Thursday*

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New Orleans Museum of Art

"Score for Unity," a new musical composition commissioned by the New Orleans Jazz National Historical Park to commemorate the 200th anniversary of the Battle of New Orleans will be performed by **The John Mahoney Big Band**. This performance will be held at the New Orleans Museum of Art, One Collins C. Diboll Circle, City Park, New Orleans, Louisiana 70124

Nov 21 *Saturday*

10:00-11:00 am

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Musicollaborative presents: **Grown Folks Lab Band**, under the direction of and featuring renowned saxophonist **Khari Allen Lee**. This concert will open with some familiar tunes from the traditional New Orleans Jazz repertoire and close with a variety of NOLA Funk 'n' Soul favorites. The Grown Folks Lab Band is an initiative of Musicollaborative.org. The New Orleans Jazz National Historical Park is proud to be able to partner with Musicollaborative, a community-based music education service organization dedicated to making high quality, culturally relevant music education accessible to children and families in the greater New Orleans area. Founder and lead facilitator, Kaya Martinez, is an award-winning musician-educator with more than 15 years of dedicated service in early childhood and elementary music education and adult learning. They offer a diverse array of hands-on music learning--from Child-Parent Playshops and interactive family concerts to Explorational Ensembles for youth and adults and professional development for educators. Proceeds from participants' tuition in the Grown Folks Lab Band help to purchase and repair instruments for Musicollaborative's children's programs

Nov 24 *Tuesday*

12:00-1:00 pm

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Nov 26 *Thursday*

We are closed today. Happy Thanksgiving!

Nov 27 *Friday*

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Local musicians perform and discuss brass band traditions passed from generation to generation in New Orleans during our monthly **"Talk That Music Talk"** program.

Dec 1 *Tuesday*

12:00-1:00 pm

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All National Park Service programs are free of charge unless otherwise indicated.

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Follow the New Orleans Jazz National Historical Park on Facebook at: www.facebook.com/NolaJazzNHP.

View all NPS and Louisiana State Museum performances at the Mint live via Livestream at MusicAtTheMint.org.

View recent NPS and Louisiana State Museum performances at the Mint at www.livestream.com/directionofsky/folder.

Listen to New Orleans Jazz National Historical Park music on SoundCloud at <https://soundcloud.com/npsjazz>.